

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Application No.: 10/541,502

Group: 1626

371(c) Filing Date: December 23, 2005

Examiner: Jason Michael Nolan

Confirmation No: 8241

For: FUSED HETEROCYCLIC DERIVATIVES AS PPAR MODULATORS  
(AS AMENDED)

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplementary Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a Small Entity Statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A Small Entity Statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

**The claims fee has been calculated as shown below:**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	13	MINUS	* 28	0
INDEP	4	MINUS	** 4	0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

  

SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE		RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X \$ 26	\$		X \$52	\$ 0
X \$110	\$		X \$220	\$ 0
+ \$195	\$		+ \$390	\$
TOTAL = \$ 0			TOTAL = \$	

\* not fewer than 20  
\*\* not fewer than 3

**The Application Size Fee has been calculated as shown below:***(Effective for cases filed on or after December 8, 2004)*

Actual Sheets (Including current amendment)	Highest No. of Sheets Paid For (At least 100)	No. of Additional Units Required (Increments of 50 sheets)
199	250	0

  

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
Rate	Total Amount Owed	Rate	Total Amount Owed
X \$135	\$[ ]	X \$270	\$[ ]

  

Payment Sufficient for up to
250 Sheets

**Petition for Extension of Time**

- ☐ Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time to respond to the [ ] dated [ ] for [ ] month(s) from [ ] to [ ]. The appropriate fee is set forth below.
- ☐ [For action-specific language in an extension of time, select the appropriate option from the Firm Templates]

